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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Gregory A. Demopulos et al. Attorney Docket No.: CH.1.0018.US2  
Application No.: 10/031,546 Group Art Unit: 1618  
Filed: January 18, 2002 Examiner: Micah Paul Young  
Title: SOLUTIONS AND METHODS FOR INHIBITION OF PAIN,  
INFLAMMATION AND CARTILAGE DEGRADATION

**TRANSMITTAL OF REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**

**UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

Seattle, Washington 98101

August 22, 2007

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed February 26, 2007, applicants request continued examination, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, of the above-identified application. Concurrently with the filing of the RCE, applicants hereby request a three-month extension of time, from May 26, 2007, until August 26, 2007. The requisite fees are enclosed.

**1. Submission Required Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

- a. \_\_\_\_\_ Submission previously submitted
- i. \_\_\_\_\_ Consider the amendment/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
- ii. \_\_\_\_\_ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
- iii. \_\_\_\_\_ Consider the Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
- iv. \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_.
- b. ☒ Submission Enclosed

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- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_.

**2. Suspension of Action** (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)

☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months.

**3. Fee Calculation**

Our check no. 11408 in the amount of \$905.00 is enclosed for the following fees:

- i. ☒ RCE Fee of \$395.00 required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).
- ii. ☒ Extension of time fee of \$510.00 required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17.
- iii. ☐ Excess claim fees by virtue of an amendment submitted concurrently herewith.

**COMPUTATION OF FEES**

|                          | Number<br>Filed |   | Number<br>Extra |   | Rate   |                 |
|--------------------------|-----------------|---|-----------------|---|--------|-----------------|
| RCE Fee                  |                 |   |                 |   | 395.00 | 395.00          |
| Total Claims             | 29              | = | 0               | x | 25.00  | 0               |
| Independent Claims       | 2               | = | 0               | x | 100.00 | 0               |
| Multiple Dependent Claim | 0               |   | 0               | + | 180.00 | 0               |
| Surcharge                |                 |   |                 | + |        | 0               |
| Extension of Time        |                 |   |                 | + |        | 510.00          |
| <b>TOTAL</b>             |                 |   |                 |   |        | <b>\$905.00</b> |

**4. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment**

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 502230. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

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**5. Additional Accompanying Papers**

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Respectfully Submitted,

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